

# KECK-STEPHENS GARDENS

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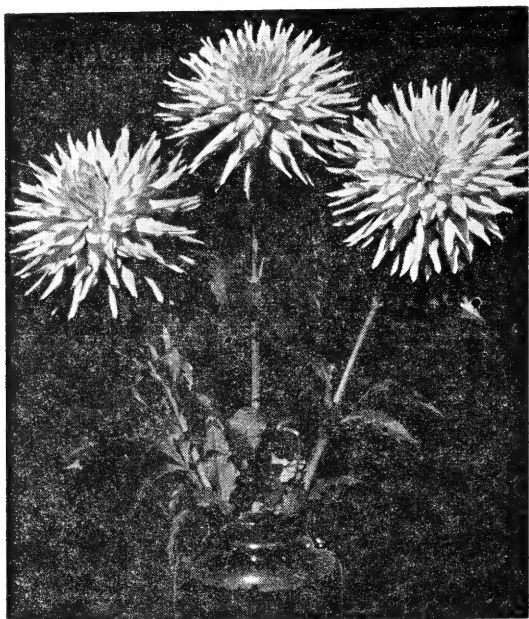
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"THERE BETTER FROM 'BUCKS'"





One of our Unnamed Seedlings

## Our New Introductions for 1957

**PENNSYLVANIA DUTCH, B.F.D.** Color dark red on good stem. On Eastern Honor Roll and Webb's Review.

Root \$7.50

**HI-JACK, Min.-Ball.** Color Mars orange or rust. Profuse early to late. On Eastern Honor Roll and Webb's Review.

Root \$5.00

**SUSAN BETH, BB-I.C.** Lt. Bl. coral pink. Rates highly for exhibition or cut flowers. A.D.S. Seedling winner score 86.4.

Root \$5.00

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# New and Standard Varieties

	Root Price
<b>B — Alabaster (F.D.),</b> Creamy white on long stems .....	\$ .75
<b>A — Allways (St.C.),</b> Empire rose, centers salmon .....	1.00
<b>A — Arab Queen (S.C.),</b> pink and buff, large blend .....	1.00
<b>A — Arthur Godfrey (F.D.),</b> Giant Orient red and buff .....	1.00
<b>A — Autumn Blaze (I.D.),</b> fiery red with gold .....	1.00
<b>B — Brioso (I.C.),</b> bi-color red and white .....	.50
<b>B — Blendette (I.C.),</b> light blend yellow with pink .....	1.00
<b>A — Bertha Shone (I.C.),</b> light blend lavender and white .....	1.50
<b>B — Blijheid (St.C.),</b> orange red, excellent stem .....	.75
<b>B — Carnaval (St.C.),</b> red, reverse and tips yellow .....	1.50
<b>B — Clariam Luray (F.D.),</b> ball shaped pink, very fine .....	1.50
<b>A — Clariam Royalty (St.C.),</b> large purple, a winner .....	1.00
<b>A — Croydon Masterpiece (I.D.),</b> massive autumn shade .....	1.00
<b>A — Dixie's Wine Dot (I.D.),</b> variegated white and purple .....	1.00
<b>A — Five Star General (F.D.),</b> giant pink blend .....	.75
<b>B — Florence Chadwick (St.C.),</b> white, light lavender center .....	1.50
<b>B — Gerrie Hoek (F.D.),</b> pink, water lily type .....	.75
<b>B — Golden Treasure (F.D.),</b> very fine autumn gold .....	.75
<b>B — Good Earth (I.C.),</b> lovely Persian rose .....	1.25
<b>A — Hollywood Star (S.C.),</b> orchid purple, fine stem .....	1.50
<b>B — Juanita (St.C.),</b> purple, shaded red .....	1.00
<b>A — Jane Lausche (S.C.),</b> rosy mauve, tipped white .....	.75
<b>B — Jack of Hearts (I.D.),</b> purple, tipped white .....	1.00

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<b>A — Kelvin</b> (F.D.), massive peach pink.....	<b>1.00</b>
<b>A — King-Size</b> (St.C.), large spectrum red, ideal stems .....	<b>1.00</b>
<b>B — Marion Glenn</b> (I.C.), purple lacinated petals .....	<b>.75</b>
<b>A — Marilyn Dale</b> (S.C.), large fuchia rose	<b>1.00</b>
<b>A — Mary Elizabeth</b> (S.C.), huge dark red...	<b>2.00</b>
<b>B — Maureen Connolly</b> (F.D.), a real full sulphur yellow .....	<b>2.00</b>
<b>A — Michigan Orchid</b> (F.D.), mauve or mallow rose .....	<b>.75</b>
<b>B — Michigan White</b> (S.C.), fine commercial white .....	<b>.50</b>
<b>B — Mme. Elizabeth Sawyer</b> (St.C.), Persian rose pink .....	<b>.50</b>
<b>A — Mrs. Hester Pape</b> (I.D.), giant dark red	<b>.75</b>
<b>A — New Look</b> (S.C.), large empire yellow	<b>.75</b>
<b>B — Nickey K.</b> (S.C.), a very good scarlet red	<b>.50</b>
<b>A — Patricia Spollen</b> (I.C.), fine blended orange .....	<b>1.00</b>
<b>A — Prairie Sun</b> (F.D.), yellow, excellent form .....	<b>1.00</b>
<b>A — Pride of Parkersburg</b> (S.C.), deep prim- rose yellow .....	<b>1.50</b>
<b>B — Stoplight</b> (S.C.), good carmine red.....	<b>.75</b>
<b>A — The Cardinal</b> (S.C.), bright cardinal red .....	<b>.90</b>
<b>A — The Volunteer</b> (I.D.), peony purple, lighter edges .....	<b>1.00</b>
<b>A — Tiara</b> (F.D.), tannish peach, tipped white .....	<b>1.50</b>
<b>B — Val St. Lambert</b> (St.C.), lovely white, tipped carmine .....	<b>1.00</b>

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## Pompon -- Miniature -- Ball

Min.	Andries Orange (Cac.), clear bright orange .....	\$ .40
Ba.	Alice J., good pink, shaded lavender .....	.75
Pom.	Betty-Ann, soft pink, shaded lilac....	.40
Pom.	Bronze Beauty, orange bronze.....	.40
Pom.	Celestia, one of the best whites.....	.40
Pom.	Chita, pure canary yellow.....	.50
Ba.	Clara Clemens, bi-color, red and white .....	.50
Min.	Geneva Crystal White, nice exhibition white .....	.50
Min.	Hazel Harper, clear pink, white center .....	.50
Pom.	Little Marvel, vivid red.....	.40
Pom.	Miss Marjorie, fine purple for exhibition .....	.50
Pom.	Mrs. French, small pink .....	.50
Ba.	Orange Glow, orange, edged red....	.75
Min.	Pink Lady, exhibition pink cactus....	.40
Min.	Pink Spangle, pink collarette, collar same .....	1.00
Pom.	Red Baby, small, deep red.....	.40
Pom.	Regal, good cutting royal purple ....	.40
Min.	Ruby Charm, sensational, ruby red .....	.75
Pom.	Valda, purple, reverse lavender .....	.50
Min.	White Fawn, popular, pure white .....	.40
Pom.	Zonnengoud, very nice gold.....	.40

## Our Former Introductions

	Root Price
"Kandy Kid" (B.-S.C.) Variegated white, striped red. Two A.D.S. Seedling Certificates .....	\$1.50
"Collector's Item" (A-S.C.) Large blend with exceptional depth. Outer petals flame red with yellow at the base. A winner in the flame class and good keeper. On honor roll .....	\$1.25
"Refugee" (B-St.C.) Yellow. Strong, erect stems. An Honor Roll Dahlia and still a winner .....	\$1.00



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## **Dahlias of Quality for Your 1957 Garden**

In presenting you with our regular Spring Dahlia list for this season, we wish to thank our customers and friends for the liberal patronage given us in the past, and we hope the pleasure of serving you more in the future.

New customers are welcome. It takes new customers to make old ones.

Every effort is made to keep our stock true to name and well up to grade. We hold ourselves in readiness to make satisfactory adjustments for anything that proves to be otherwise. But it is agreed that we will not be responsible for more than the original purchase price.

**TERMS** — We pay regular postage on orders of \$5.00 or more. If you want special delivery, please add 35 cents. We do not ship C.O.D. This is an added expense to both of us.

### **ABBREVIATIONS**

“A” — Large; “B” — Medium; “MIN” — Miniature; “Pom” — Pompon; “F.D.” — Formal Decorative; “I.D.” — Informal Decorative; “S.C.” — Semi-Cactus; “I.C.” — Incurved Cactus; “St.C.” — Straight Cactus; “Ba” — Ball.

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